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## HOMELESS PEOPLE NOW FACE FAMINE

No Drinking Water and Little Food Left in Monterey.

## ENTIRE QUARTER OF CITY WRECKED

Death List Will Reach Total of 2,000 Persons, and Property Loss in Flood District Will Approximate \$30,000,000-Work of Relief.

M ONTEREY, MEX., August 30.— With 800 bodies recovered and buried in Monterey up to night-fall, 2,000 is now the estimate of the city authorities of those who lost their throughout the valley of the

va correspondent of the Associated ress revealed an appailing condition copie who had been saved from the bod of Saturday morning had been thout food until to-day, when, by cans of some cables, a small quantity

ought by the flood were to be seen

rancisco Church, which was building in the city, having in 1572, racks of the rurals were ay, and much military could-

evening. The line to Laredo is the least damaged of any of the lines entering the city, and for this reason will be first open to traffic.

Many Landsides.

On the Paredon branch of the Mexican Central several landsides have occurred and a serious washout at Durasno, twelve kilometres south of this city, has taken place. It was at this point, that the international train was wrecked Friday night by the engine going through a culvert.

Whre communication has been cut off or badly interrusted since Friday night, and the Federal Company reports that at 6 o'clock to-night they were 600 messages behind. Most of these are messages behind. Most of these are messages behind. Most of these are messages from relatives all over the United States.

The railroad property loss is estimated by officials of the lines at \$1,700,000,000, which, added to the loss in this city, makes nearty \$21,000,000 of property damaged here and in this vicinity.

## STRONG GERMAN NAVAL FURCE PRESIDENT STILL

BERLIN, August 30—The strongest German naval force that has ever existed will be assembled in the North Sea when the attitume naval manoeur years begin to-morrow. The Kalser, in the imperial yach Hohenzollern, will spend a whole week with his fleet, and then on September 5 will pass in review about 110 vessels at Kiel.

The leet taking part in the manoeur wres consists of sixteem battleships, four large armored cruisers and ten other cruisers, eight coast detense irronclads, five torpodo boat fotilias—ail, with the exception of one flottila, consisting of large modern craft—two submarine mining vessels, two special divisions of mine destroying craft and four submarines, the latest of which left a Danzig yard only four weeks ago.

The strategical part of the manoeur

### WILL SEE BIG WARSHIPS

## BIGGEST FEAST ON RECORD

Crowds to Be Fed on the Kentucky State Fair Grounds.

LOUISVILLE, KY., August 30.—What is styled "the Jeffersonian barbecue" to be held to-morrow and Wednesday on the grounds of the Kentucky State Fair, near this city, will be the large st eating festival of its kind on record, even in Kentucky. The entire State has supplied many head of cattle to feed the crowds, which are already arriving. Gus Jaubert, chef extraordiat, will receive \$500, it is stated, for making the burgoo.

Every Democratic representative in Kentucky in Congress will speak, as mill hundreds of ashers prominent in the State. The barbecue is in the integral of the regularly nominated Democratic city ticket of Louisville.

FARTHQUAKE IN PANAMA

Within the next ten days to within t

# KEEPS HANDS OFF

Refuses to Take Public Cognizance of Government Row.

## M'HARG CHOSEN

Important State Department Matters Disposed of Yesterday-Beverly to Be Summer Capital Again Next Year-Details of Meeting

With Diaz.

another season's lease of the cottage at Woodberry Point.

Among the announcements made to-day was that of the selection of Henry Hoyt, former solicitor-general, as counselor of the State Department. Secretary Knox also took up with the President the organization of the new far Eastern bureau of the department, and announced an additional appointment to that service.

Interested in New Bureau.

The bureau will have for its purpose the fostering of American trade relations with the Orient. President Tatt is especially interested in this

## AVIATION WEEK CLOSES

Conquerers of Air Receive Great Ovation at Banquet.

RHEIMS, August 30.—'Aviation
Week' came to its official close today. A gaia breaktast was given by
the committee of organization in honor
of the aviators. There were over 500
guests present.
Bicriot attended with his arm in a
sling, a result of his accident yesterday, and he and Glenn H. Curtiss, the
American; Henry Farman, the Englishman, and Hubert Latham and Louis
Paulhan, the French flyers, received
ovations, the assemblage arising again
and again to chear them.
The meeting at Rheims has been an
enormous success financially. There
were over 200,000 paid entries to the
aerodrome yesterday, and probably
100,000 more people witnessed the
flights frem the tills outside the
course.

Many Machines Sold.
The aeronlanc commanies took orders

### SERGEANT WINS CUP

### TALK OF NEW RAILROAD

## AVIATION WEEK CLOSES Conquerers of All Receive Great Ova- LABOR CONGRESS OPENS WITH ROW

Angry Foreigners Attack Gompers and Criticize Federation.

## SAY AMERICANS

ment.

Mr. Gompers insisted that the problems and policies of American trades
unionism were so intermingled with
American traditions and ideas that
Americans could ill spare time for can-

We will be the second of the s

### SPEAKS FOR HIMSELF

### ANOTHER SPEED CARNIVAL

### EARTH TO BE A PARADISE

## EDWARD ALVEY ARRESTED FOR THEFT OF GRAIN

Werner Swears Out Warrant Like That in Driver's Case.

### LYNCH ATTACKS POLICE JUSTICE

Tells Committee He Is Unfit to Preside Over Trial of Dealer. Council to Investigate Scandal, City to Sue for Recovery on Contract.

Sergeants Bailey and Gibson yesterday charging him with the theft of osts in sent to the stables of the Street De-

tenced to ninety days in the City Jail by Police Justice Crutchfield on Saturday, the court refusing the request of the Commonwealth's Attorney for a bench warrant for Alvey, and announcing that he would not consider the evidence of the negro driver against his employer.